

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 ABF-01 FSE-00 OMB-01 TRSE-00 CIAE-00

COME-00 EB-11 INR-10 LAB-06 NSAE-00 RSC-01 SIL-01

DRC-01 /053 W

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R 131351Z NOV 73

FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6520

INFO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

AMEMBASSY LIMA

AMEMBASSY LA PAZ

UNCLAS SANTIAGO 5552

1. OFFICIAL PRICE INDEX (CPI) IN OCTOBER ROSE 87.6 PERCENT  
OVER SEPTEMBER. CPI SINCE JANUARY 1 HAS RISEN 528.4 PERCENT.  
INCREASE SINCE LAST FULL WAGE ADJUSTMENT ON OCTOBER 1, 1972  
TOTALS 624.1 PERCENT.  
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2. OCTOBER PRICE INCREASES BY MAJOR CATEGORIES WERE: FOOD  
82.3 PERCENT; HOUSING 54.5 PERCENT; CLOTHING 70.6 PERCENT  
MISCELLANEOUS 154.2 PERCENT.

3. OCTOBER INDEX APPARENTLY IS CONTINUATION OF INE SERIES.  
HOWEVER, OCTOBER FIGURES WERE COMPILED WITH HELP UNIVERSITY  
OF CHILE EXPERTS AND INCLUDED ONLY 203 ARTICLES AS COMPARED  
WITH OVER 300 NORMALLY SURVEYED. INE HAS AANOUNCED THIS CPI  
SERIES WILL END IN DECEMBER AND BE REPLACED IN 1974 BY NEW  
INDEX.  
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